

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroshi NAKANO Group Art Unit: 3653

Application No.: 10/664,899 Examiner: K. JOERGER

Filed: September 22, 2003 Docket No.: 117221

For: ROTARY CLUTCH DEVICE AND SHEET FEEDER USING THE SAME

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the June 28, 2006 Office Action and the December 14, 2006 personal interview, and after entry of the attached Request for Continued Examination, the shortened statutory period for reply having been extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.